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FOREIGN AND INSULAR.

HAWAII.

Record of Plague Infection.

The last case of human plague at Honolulu occurred July 12, 1910.

The last plague-infected rat was found at Aiea, 9 miles from Honolulu, April 12, 1910.

A case of human plague was reported at Kapulena, Hawaii, October 28, 1911.

At Hilo the last case of human plague occurred March 23, 1910. A fatal case occurred at Honokaa, 60 miles from Hilo, April 20, 1911.

The last plague-infected rat was found at Honokaa February 2, 1911. A plague-infected rat was found at Hilo during the week ended June 10, 1911.

Chief Quarantine Officer Ramus reports, October 30:

Honolulu—Plague-Prevention Work.

Week ended October 28, 1911.

Total rats and mongoose taken.....	618
Rats trapped.....	596
Mongoose trapped.....	12
Rats killed by sulphur dioxide.....	10
Examined bacteriologically.....	541
Classification of rat trapped:	
<i>Mus alexandrinus</i>	72
<i>Mus musculus</i>	177
<i>Mus norvegicus</i>	39
<i>Mus rattus</i>	308
Classification of rats killed by sulphur dioxide:	
<i>Mus rattus</i>	10
Average number of traps set daily.....	1,720

INDIA.

Calcutta—Cholera and Plague.

Acting Asst. Surg. Allan reports October 19: During the week ended September 30, 12 deaths from cholera and 6 from plague were reported in Calcutta; in all Bengal, 69 cases of plague and 146 deaths; in all India, 10,533 cases with 7,906 deaths.

ITALY.

Status of Cholera.

Surg. Geddings at Naples reports, October 25: During the period from October 8 to 14 cholera was reported in Italy as follows: Naples, City, 1 case with 1 death; Naples Province, 5 cases with 4 deaths; Genoa Province, 3 cases with 1 death; Palermo City, 7 cases with 1 death; Palermo Province, 3 cases with 1 death; Catania City, 5 cases; Catania Province, 3 cases; Rome Province, 13 cases with 5 deaths; in 22 other Provinces, 208 cases with 75 deaths.